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## Mail Stop Patent Application

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Presented for filing is a new patent application claiming priority from a provisional patent application of:

Applicant: MITCHELL CHAPIN GREEN AND ROGER CHICKERING

Title: ENHANCED BUDDY LIST INTERFACE

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

|               | <u>Pages</u>                  |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Specification | 24 (including cover sheet)    |
| Claims        | 3                             |
| Abstract      | 1                             |
| Declaration   | [To be Filed at a Later Date] |
| Drawing(s)    | 10                            |

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Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional application 60/426,815, filed November 18, 2002 and U.S. provisional application 60/479,918, filed June 20, 2003.

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| Basic filing fee                             | \$770 |
| Total claims in excess of 20 times \$18      | \$108 |
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| Fee for multiple dependent claims            | \$0   |
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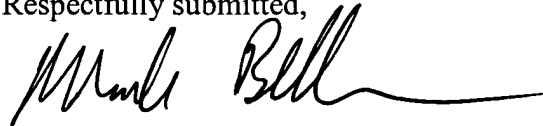
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